



# UNITED STATES NAVY **SEABEE MUSEUM**

## **FIELD TRIP PACKET**



U.S. Navy Seabee Museum

3201 N Ventura Rd., Port Hueneme, CA 93043

Call [805-982-5165](tel:805-982-5165) or email [SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil](mailto:SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil) to inquire about education programs.



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## Letter from the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum Director



Welcome to the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum (USNSM). Founded in 1947, the USNSM is one of nine official Navy museums in the country which are operated by the Naval History and Heritage Command. Our mission is to ensure that the construction and engineering accomplishments of the Seabees and the Civil Engineer Corps to the Navy and the nation are not forgotten, remain relevant, and inspire as many people as possible. With more

than 20,000 square feet of exhibit galleries, and an interactive STEM Center for kids in grades K – 3, the Museum provides a comprehensive opportunity to learn about the history of the Seabees, explaining the unique role played by the Seabees in serving the national defense.

Even though the USNSM is first and foremost a history museum, the work performed by Seabees and Civil Engineers Corps is rooted deeply in the principles of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. USNSM offers a variety of field trips opportunities for K-12 students that highlight the enduring Seabee values of creative problem-solving, improvisation and teamwork – values that have enabled them to accomplish incredible things with limited resources.

I hope this field trip packet will introduce you to the USNSM and help you plan your student's visit. The packet contains a wealth of information about our engaging educational programs and the process for scheduling your visit to the Museum.

We look forward to welcoming you to our world-renowned institution.

Lara Godbille, Ph.D.

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Naval History and Heritage Command



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# Build Great Things at the Seabee Museum!

## Background

The U.S. Navy Seabee Museum offers a variety of education and public programs to engage visitors with the Navy's rich history of the Seabees, Civil Engineer Corps, and naval shore establishment. The Museum's Education Department uses cutting-edge technology and best practices in educational learning theory to captivate imaginations and build 21st century skills. At the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum, a focus on creativity and innovation, critical thinking and problem solving, communication, and collaboration is the foundation of our education program. The Education Department supports the Museum's mission, exhibits, and operations in several key ways:

**Education Programs** – The Education Department has primary responsibility for the interpretation of the Museum's permanent and temporary exhibits. The team creates educational curriculum for K – 12 students and professional development opportunities for educators and active-duty members of the Navy.

**Public Programs** - The Education Department has primary responsibility for creating and implementing public programs. This includes creating a speaker's bureau, offering family programming, and opening our doors to the public as a community resource.

**Outreach** - The Education Department is responsible for social media postings related to education and adding standards-based educational content to the website. The Education Department recruits and screens prospective volunteers who have the skills to help support the goals of the Museum.

## Education Achievement

### Captivate, Build, and Educate

In October 2017 the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum (USNSM) was named a "STEM Champion" by the Ventura County STEM (VC STEM) Network. The VC STEM Network serves as a leadership hub for regional STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) educators. USNSM was recognized for its STEM Center, which is a hands-on activity space relating STEM principles to work performed by the Seabees. The VC STEM Network honored a wide array of organizations; however, the USNSM was the only museum in Ventura County honored as a "STEM Champion."



## Planning Guide

Please email [SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil](mailto:SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil) or call 805-982-1249 to book your field trip today. All reservations should be made at least 2 weeks in advance. Download and complete the Education Program Request form, available on page 11, to book your group.

### Field Trip Options

#### **K – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades: STEM Center**

*Young children are encouraged to engage in free play activities in the Museum's STEM center. The STEM center boasts a reading corner, building and construction activities, and a gear wall all designed to spark the imagination of young learners. The Museum staff require a 1:5 ratio of chaperones to students for the STEM center and all students must stay with a chaperone at all times. The Museum uses the California History Social-Science Framework to develop activities and programs.*

Estimated Time On-Site	<b>1.5 – 2 hours</b>
Classroom Pre-Work	<b>Students explore an old Seabee trunk to discover the Legend of Bucky Meyers. Students will learn that caring for others and being kind is heroic! (K - 3rd grades) Please email <a href="mailto:SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil">SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil</a> or call 805-982-1249 to inquire about the Museum's trunk program.</b>
Program Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>STEM Center</b> - 45 minutes</li><li>• <b>Scavenger Hunt: Self-guided tour by chaperone 1:5 ratio</b> (<a href="#">Discovery Game for Young Students</a> [PDF, 785 KB]) - 30 minutes</li><li>• <b>Lunch</b> (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	<b>1:5 ratio of chaperones to students for the STEM center and all students must stay with a chaperone at all times.</b>

The Museum does not offer guided tours to K through 3rd grade students. The Museum's Discovery Games are scavenger hunts created for school groups on a self-guided tour in the museum. They are a fun way to enjoy the history of the Seabees and Civil Engineer Corps. Download the [Discovery Game for Young Students](#) at the following URL: <https://www.history.navy.mil/content/dam/museums/Seabee/Education/familyfundays/USNSM%20Family%20Fun%20-%20Discovery%20Game.pdf>



## **K – 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE**

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Ocean Exploration Map Activity

*Coastal exploration led to the discovery of a deep underwater canyon off the coast of Point Hueneme. Fourth grade students will explain the relationship and interdependence of human activities and the environment, and how these relationships affect the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas. The Museum uses the California History Social-Science Framework to develop activities and programs.*

Estimated Time On-Site	<b>2 – 2.5 hours</b>
Classroom Pre-Work	<b><a href="#">How to Read a Topographic Map</a> activity</b>
Program Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Essential Tour</b> - 30 Minutes</li><li>• <b>Ocean Exploration Map Activity</b> - 45 minutes</li><li>• <b>Scavenger Hunt: Self-guided tour by chaperone</b> 1:10 ratio (<a href="#">Discovery Game for Young Students</a> [PDF, 785 KB]) - 30 minutes</li><li>• <b>Lunch</b> (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	<b>The Museum requires a 1:10 ratio of chaperones to students. All students must stay with a chaperone at all times.</b>
Hands-On-History Add-on Extension Activity	<b>Participate in our Hands-On-History program. After lunch, students may create a clay topographic map to take home. (2 additional hours required) Please email <a href="mailto:SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil">SeabeeMuseumVisitor@navy.mil</a> or call 805-982-1249 to inquire about the Museum's Hands-on-History program.</b>

Download the [How to Read a Topographic Map](#) activity at the following URL:

<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/Curriculum/TopographicMapActivity.html>

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Exploring History Through Art

*Men in the Seabees used mixed media to create plaques to represent themselves. The plaques were often representations of where the men were from in the United States, the type of jobs they performed for the Navy, or illustrated where they were stationed overseas. In small groups, fifth grade students will assemble a found object sculpture (as assemblage) or a mixed media two-dimensional composition that reflects who they are and communicates a theme. Students are encouraged to bring a recyclable object or special item from home that may be repurposed as part of the art piece.*

Estimated Time On-Site	<b>3 hours</b>
Classroom Pre-Work	<b>Each student must bring at least one recyclable or an object from home with special meaning that may be repurposed as part of the mixed media art project.</b>
Program Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Essential Tour</b> – 45 minutes</li><li>• <b>Mixed Media Art Activity</b> – 45 minutes</li><li>• <b>Lunch</b> (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li><li>• <b>Art Presentations</b> – 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	<b>The Museum requires a 1:10 ratio of chaperones to students. All students must stay with a chaperone at all times.</b>
Post-Visit Activity	Participate in our <a href="#">Classroom Plaque Challenge</a> . Classes who have completed a field trip to the Seabee Museum are encouraged to design a plaque as a class. Tell us who you are! We will post your classroom plaque pictures to the Seabee Museum website and on our <a href="#">Twitter</a> page.

Download the [Classroom Plaque Challenge](#) flier at the following URL:

<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/dam/museums/Seabee/Education/Classroom%20Plaque%20Challenge.pdf>

Follow us on Twitter at <https://www.twitter.com/SeabeeMuseum>

## 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades: Investigating History

Middle school students will examine historical evidence in the Museum galleries in order to investigate history! At the Museum, students will be guided through each gallery by a Museum educator and asked to examine a document, poster or multimedia item on display. They will be encouraged to look around the gallery and read the label text to search for context clues. Can they determine the purpose and meaning behind each historical item?

Estimated Time On-Site	2.5 - 3 hours
Classroom Pre-Work	<a href="#">Seabees: Human and Cultural Impacts</a> activity
Program Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Essential Tour – 90 minutes</li><li>• Lunch (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	The Museum requires a 1:10 ratio of chaperones to students. All students must stay with a chaperone at all times.

Download the [Seabees: Human and Cultural Impacts](#) activity at the following URL:  
<https://history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/Curriculum/SeabeeImpacts.html>

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade: Ocean Exploration Map Activity

Coastal exploration led to the discovery of a deep underwater canyon off the coast of Point Hueneme. High School students will use geographic data, maps, satellite images, photographs, and other representations to explain relationships between the locations of places and regions, and the political, cultural, and economic dynamics. The Museum uses the California History Social-Science Framework to develop activities and programs.

Estimated Time On-Site	3 hours
Classroom Pre-Work	<a href="#">USGS Resources for Working with Maps</a>
Program Itinerary	<b>Essential Tour</b> – 45 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ocean Exploration Map Activity – 90 minutes</li><li>• Lunch (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	The Museum requires a 1:10 ratio of chaperones to students. All students must stay with a chaperone at all times.

Access [USGS Resources for Working with Maps](#) at the following URL:  
<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/Curriculum/TopographicMapActivity.html>

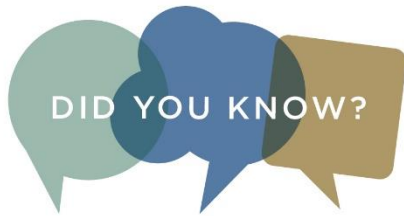
## 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grades: Guided Museum Tour

Estimated Time On-Site	2 – 2.5 hours
Classroom Pre-Work	<a href="#">Bias in the Media: Propaganda and WWII</a> activity
Program Itinerary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Essential Tour – 90 minutes (see tour options by grade level on next page)</li><li>• Lunch (not provided by Museum) - 30 minutes</li></ul>
Chaperone Requirements	The Museum requires a 1:10 ratio of chaperones to students. All students must stay with a chaperone at all times.
Post-Visit Lesson	<a href="#">Investigative Reporting: Writing Breaking News Stories</a> activity

Download the [Bias in the Media: Propaganda and WWII](#) activity at the following URL:  
<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/Curriculum/bias-in-the-media--propaganda-and-wwii.html>

Download the [Investigative Reporting: Writing Breaking News Stories](#) activity at the following URL:  
<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/Curriculum/InvestigativeReporting.html>





The Museum Historian is available, upon request, to provide historic presentations. Current presentation topics for students include the **Seabees in World War II** and the **Seabees in the Cold War**. Presentation run-time is 20 minutes, not including questions. If you wish to schedule a presentation, email [Julius.Lacano@navy.mil](mailto:Julius.Lacano@navy.mil) or call 805-982-6180.

The Seabee Museum has developed specialized tour programs for grades 10 - 12. The Museum uses the California History Social-Science Framework to develop activities and programs.

*10th Grade: How did technology affect—influence and impact—WWII?*

10th grade students, will take a deep-dive into history. Students will pay close attention to changes and improvements in transportation and personal protective gear in order to critically think about the war. Students will answer the question, “How has military advancement in technology saved lives?” Students will determine what was the single most important piece of technology during the war and conduct a brief presentation. Students will view and be provided access to videos, primary and secondary sources, as well as Seabee personal protective gear from WWII to present.

*11th Grade: Minority Voices*

Students will engage with an educator or docent on a guided tour that highlights the experiences of minorities during WWII. They will critically examine artifacts for context clues and meaning. They will learn how Museum curators preserve artifacts and use them to tell a thematic story and give voice to new perspectives. Students will go behind the scenes and tour the Seabee Museum collections and archives with a Museum curator.

*12th Grade: On the Record!*

Twelfth grade students analyze primary and secondary source documents to build a case and answer the question, “Are Seabees Humanitarian Workers or Tools of Foreign Policy used to Combat Terrorism?” Students will tour the Seabee Museum archives and conduct research with Museum archivists in order to take a position, build a case, and defend their argument.



**10<sup>TH</sup>–12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**



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## Field Trip Request Form

The Museum will accept field trips Monday – Thursday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. The Museum education program request form for K – 12 students is available at the following URL:

<https://author.history.navy.mil/content/dam/museums/Seabee/Education/TourandEventRequests/EducationReservationPolicyTemplate%20Revised%20Jan%202019-CMedit.pdf>



Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_

### Education Reservation Form

#### Important Notes:

1. Tours are scheduled on a first come first serve basis, 2 weeks advance notice is preferred.
2. Estimated turnaround time for schedule requests is 3-5 business days.
3. Your tour is not confirmed until you receive a confirmation email from the Tour Coordinator.

#### Contact Information

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
School \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

#### Details

Tours Available 8:30 - 1300 Monday—Thursday.

Preferred date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Preferred time \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_  
Alternate date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Alternate time \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Select an alternate field trip date and time. Include it on your field trip request form.

#### Day of Field Trip

On-site Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone : \_\_\_\_\_

#### Request Type (check all that apply)

For more info visit <https://www.history.navy.mil/content/history/museums/seabee/education/K-12GuidedTourProgram.html>

#### Self-Guided Tour:

- ☐ Explore the Museum on your own after a brief orientation by a Museum Educator.

#### Guided Tour Program:

- ☐ K—3rd Grades: STEM Center  
☐ 4th Grade: Ocean Exploration Map Activity  
☐ 5th Grade: Exploring History through Art  
☐ 6th—8th Grades: Investigating History  
☐ 9th Grade: Ocean Exploration Map Activity  
☐ 10th—12th Grades: Guided Museum Tour

#### Demographics (check all that apply)

For school group tours, 1 adult is required for every 10 students. For K-3 groups in the STEM center, 1 adult is required for every 5 students.

<input type="checkbox"/> K—3rd	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> 4th	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> 5th	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> 6th—8th	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> 9th	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> 10th—12th	Number of students	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Chaperones	Number of adults	_____
Total		_____

Please provide student numbers. This helps the Museum plan for staffing.

#### Lunch (Not provided by Museum)

Offsite ☐ Onsite: Museum Education Room (Seats 24) ☐ Onsite: Museum Patio (Seats 60) ☐

Please note any special needs, considerations, or useful information below about your group:

By signing below, you confirm that you have read and fully agree to the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum's policies and expectations.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Use Only:

CONFIRMED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

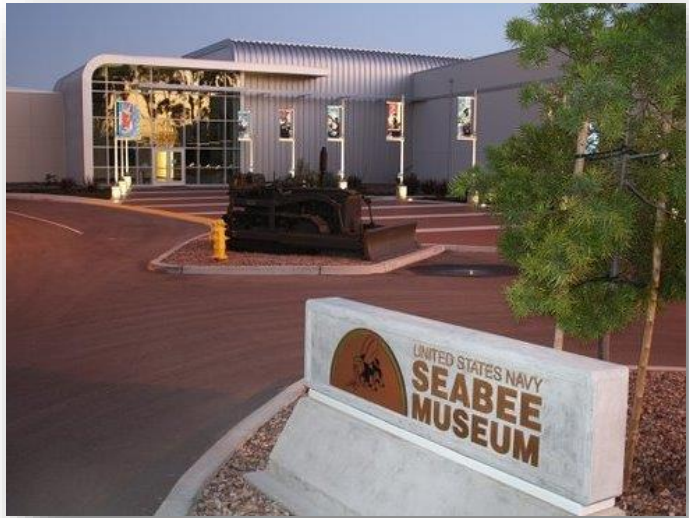
Don't forget to sign the form.

## Agency and Facility Information

We want students to know, YOU "CAN DO" TOO!

**The content below will help educators meet school district information requirements for field trip requests:**

The U.S. Navy Seabee Museum offers field trip opportunities for local school districts. Our field trips may be defined as curricular or educational excursions. Tour programs and education activities at the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum are aligned to the curriculum frameworks and content standards adopted by the California State Board of Education. Field trips to the Seabee Museum include ready-to-use pre-visit lessons designed to prepare students for a trip to the Museum, a guided tour in the Museum, and hands-on-history activities with a Museum team member.



## Facility

The U.S. Navy Seabee Museum is one of 10 museums managed by the U.S. Department of the Navy, a federal agency. The Museum is a federal-facility and subject to the Public Buildings Amendments of 1988, 40 U.S.C. 3312 (formerly section 21 of the Public Buildings Act of 1959, 40 U.S.C. 619), which requires that each building constructed or altered by GSA or any other federal agency shall, to the maximum extent feasible, be in compliance with one of the nationally recognized model building codes and with other applicable nationally recognized codes.



## Museum Entry and Security

Admission to the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum is free and open to the public and there are no costs for field trips to the Museum. The Museum is open 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday and is closed on federal holidays. The Museum will accept field trips Monday – Thursday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. A complete copy of the education reservation policy is

available at the following URL:

<https://www.history.navy.mil/content/dam/museums/Seabee/Education/TourandEventRequests/EducationReservationPolicyTemplate%20Revised%20Sept%202018-CMedit.pdf>

To make your experience safe and enjoyable, visitors must follow guidelines established by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security for federal facilities: weapons are not allowed; this includes, guns, knives and multi-purpose tools.

For a complete list of prohibited items, visit the following URL: <https://www.dhs.gov/sites/default/files/publications/isc-items-prohibited-federal-facilities-feb-2013-508.pdf>. Bags larger than 19" tall x 10" wide x 9" will be stored in the Museum Education Classroom.

All persons entering in or on Federal property are prohibited from being under the influence or using alcoholic beverages (41 CFR 102-74.405). All persons entering in or on Federal property are prohibited from: (a) being under the influence, using or possessing any narcotic drugs, hallucinogens, marijuana, barbiturates, or amphetamines; or (b) operating a motor vehicle on the property while under the influence of alcoholic beverages, narcotic drugs, hallucinogens, marijuana, barbiturates, or amphetamines (41 CFR 102-74.400) except in cases where the drug is being used as prescribed for a patient by a licensed physician. More information is available at the following URL: <https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/CFR-2011-title41-vol3/pdf/CFR-2011-title41-vol3-part102-id987.pdf>

Executive Order 13058, "Protecting Federal Employees and the Public from Exposure to Tobacco Smoke in the Federal Workplace," bans smoking in all Executive Branch facilities, all interior space owned, rented, or leased space by the Executive Branch of the Federal government. There are certain excepted spaces, which include: designated smoking areas. The designated smoking area for the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum is near the motorcycle parking spaces at the back of the Museum. More information is available at the following URL: [https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/WCPD-1997-08-18-Pg1224.pdf](https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/WCPD-1997-08-18/pdf/WCPD-1997-08-18-Pg1224.pdf)

## Food and Beverages

The Museum staff and volunteers reserve the right to regulate and prohibit the consumption of all food and beverages within the Museum. Food and beverages are not admitted in the galleries exceptions are made for water in a container with a lid. Field trip groups may elect to eat lunch or snacks onsite at the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum. Lunch or snacks are not provided by the Museum. There are two designated areas for eating:

- The Museum Education Room is a classroom that seats 24 comfortably.
- The Museum Patio is an outdoor option that seats 60 comfortably and accommodates up to two wheelchairs.

There are several local public parks in the vicinity for schools who want to eat lunch offsite. More information such as hours of operation and parking information is available at the following URL: <https://www.ci.port-hueneme.ca.us/553/City-Parks> Parks listed below have public restroom facilities and no-cost:

### *BUBBLING SPRINGS 1.3 miles away at Bard Road and Park Avenue*

Bubbling Springs is a 21-acre community park serving both as a passive neighborhood park and home to Port Hueneme Little League. Facilities include children's play equipment, picnic sites, barbecue pits, public restrooms, 2 to 3 hardball fields, one t-ball field, concession building, and large open grass areas.

### *MORANDA PARK 1.8 miles away via Moranda Parkway or Surfside Drive, from East Port Hueneme Road*

Moranda Park is an 8-acre facility devoted to active and structured activities containing:

- 2 full basketball courts
- 2 softball fields (1 lighted)
- 6 tennis courts
- 2 Pickle Ball Courts
- Children's play equipment
- Multi-purpose building
- Public restrooms

## **Insurance**

The United States Government does not maintain any private insurance, but rather is completely self-insured with any claims against the United States Government backed by the full faith and credit of the United States, with claims payable under the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 USC § 2671 et seq. <https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/USCODE-2011-title28/USCODE-2011-title28-partVI-chap171-sec2671>

## **Emergency Services**

In the event of an emergency, response will be provided by Naval Base Ventura County (NBVC) Force Protection and Fire and Emergency Services (F&ES). Force Protection provides anti-terrorism capabilities, physical security, and law enforcement for NBVC Point Mugu, Port Hueneme, and San Nicolas Island.

F&ES is a full service organization comprised of 79 personnel that provide structural fire protection, aircraft rescue and firefighting, emergency medical services and fire prevention services for the three Navy sites that comprise NVBC. Those sites include NBVC Point Mugu, Port Hueneme and San Nicolas Island. The Mission of NBVC F&ES is to minimize the loss of life, property and damage to the environment on all military property, military installations, and surrounding communities caused by fire, medical emergencies, natural disasters and acts of terrorism. NBVC F&ES also provides mutual aid and automatic aid fire-fighting assistance when requested to the surrounding communities to include Ventura County, Ventura City, Oxnard City, Port Hueneme, Santa Paula, and Fillmore.

The nearest hospital is St. John's Regional Medical Center. The hospital is open 24-hours and is located at 1600 North Rose Avenue Oxnard, California 93030. The hospital phone number is 844-955-2825.

## **Emergency Procedures**

If a student is separated from the group, inform a Museum volunteer or staff person at the Museum's admissions desk. Separated or lost children should go to the admissions desk to be reunited with their group. In the event of any emergency such as a fire, accident, sudden serious injury or illness, or possible criminal activity, the Museum volunteer or professional staff member on duty will call NBVC Force Protection. In the event of an emergency that requires evacuation, field trip groups will be asked to muster at the NBVC Pass and ID Office before loading buses and vehicles and leaving the area or returning to the Museum after an all-clear signal. Bus parking for field trip groups is in front of the NBVC Pass and ID Office, (see map on page 9).

## **General Guidelines**

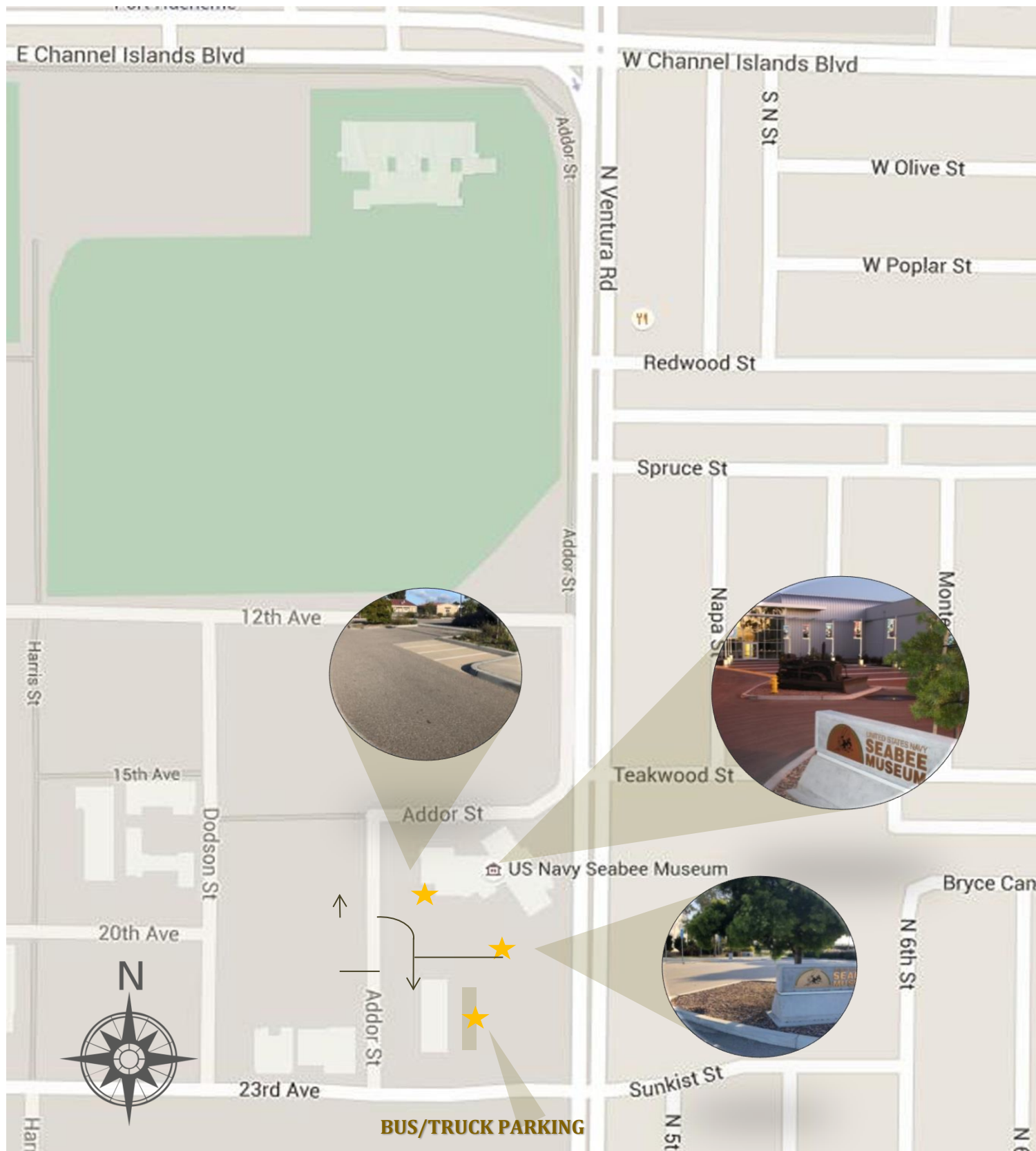
The Navy staff and volunteers of the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum reserve the right to exclude from the use of the Museum any person who willfully and persistently violates any rule or regulation written for the use of the Museum or its facilities. This also applies to any person whose physical condition is deemed dangerous or offensive to other Museum visitors. It is the intent of the U.S. Navy Seabee Museum staff and volunteers to allow Museum visitors access to the Museum's exhibits and facilities to the maximum extent possible and to ensure the greatest benefit to the greatest number of visitors. The Museum is administered by the U.S. Navy and is open to the public for the specified purpose of exhibition of historical artifacts and information, education, research, interpretation, shopping, and the appropriate use of these Museum resources. Therefore, Navy staff has established these reasonable policies and regulations:

- Museum visitors shall be engaged in normal activities associated with the use of the public spaces of the Museum while in the building. Visitors not engaged in touring the exhibits, shopping in the Museum store, using the research library, or involved in other established educational activities or functions, may be asked to leave the building.
- Children under the age of 16 must, at all times, be accompanied and supervised by a parent, guardian or other adult family member. This is a regulation designated by the U.S. Navy. The Museum's staff is not responsible for the care, safety, or supervision of children.
- Museum visitors shall respect the rights and privacy of other visitors, Navy staff, and Museum volunteers. Visitors shall refrain from noisy or boisterous activities, including cellular phone use, monopolizing resources, endangering historical artifacts and materials, or any other behavior that may reasonably result in the disturbance of others in the Museum.
- Visitors are expected to wear appropriate clothing while in the Museum, including shirts and shoes. Personal hygiene shall conform to the standards of the community for public places. This includes the repair or cleanliness of clothing and bodily hygiene.
- Harassment (physical, sexual, or verbal) of other Museum visitors, Navy staff, or Museum volunteers will not be tolerated under any circumstance.
- Smoking and drinking of alcohol are not permitted in any area of the Museum facility or in any area where secondary smoke or alcohol will enter the Museum facility. The Museum staff and volunteers reserve the right to regulate and prohibit the consumption of all food and beverages within the Museum.
- Pets or animals, other than service animals necessary for disabilities, may not be brought into the Museum by visitors without the permission of Navy staff.
- The Navy staff and/or volunteers reserve the right to have a police officer escort visitors out of the Museum as they deem necessary.



## Museum Parking Map and Directions

The U.S. Navy Seabee Museum is located at the Naval Base Ventura County outside the perimeter fence at the corner of Ventura Road and Sunkist, near the Sunkist entrance. The Museum is not on-base and you can access our parking lot from Ventura Road. Bus parking is located in front of NBVC Pass and ID Office.







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